Patent Application Declaration



I HEREBY DECLARE THAT:

My residence, post office address, and citizenship are as stated next to my name i PART A on page 2 hereof.

I believe I am the original, first, and sole inventor (if only one name is listed or an original, first and joint inventor (if plural names are listed) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitle

Parallel Polynucleotide Sequencing Method

the specification of which:

- ☐ is attached hereto.
- \square was filed on 09/26/97 as Attorney Docket No. 2270-0001.30.
- was filed on 09/26/97 as Application Serial No. 08/938,565 and was amended on _____ (if applicable).

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above.

I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to the examination of this application in accordance with Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations §1.56(a).

I hereby claim foreign priority benefits under Title 35, United States Code, §115 of any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate listed in PART B on page 2 hereof and have also identified in PART B on page 2 hereof any foreign application for patent or inventor's certificate having a filing date before that of the application of which priority is claimed.

I hereby claim the benefit under Title 35, United States Code, §120 of any United States application(s) listed in PART C on page 2 hereof and, insofar as the subject matter of each of the claims of this application is not disclosed in the prior United States application in the manner provided by the first paragraph of Title 35, United States Code, §112, I acknowledge the duty to disclose material information as defined in Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, §1.56(a) which occurred between the filing date of the prior application and the national or PCT international filing date of this application.

I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issued thereon.

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PART B: PRIOR FOREIGN APPLICATION(S)

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Assignment

THIS ASSIGNMENT, by Wing H. Wong (hereinafter referred to as the Assignor), residing at Los Angeles, California, witnesseth:

WHEREAS, the said Assignor has invented certain new and useful improvements in <u>Parallel Polynucleotide Sequencing Method</u>, set forth in an application for Letters Patent of the United States, bearing Serial No. 08/938,565 and filed on September 26, 1997;

WHEREAS, The Chinese University of Hong Kong, having its principal place of business at Shatin, New Territories, Hong Kong (hereinafter referred to as the Assignee), is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and to said inventions and said application for Letters Patent of the United States, and in and to any Letters Patent or Patents, United States or foreign, to be obtained therefor and thereon;

NOW, THEREFORE, in valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, the said Assignor has sold, assigned, transferred and set over, and by these presents does sell, assign, transfer and set over, unto the said Assignee, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, the entire right, title and interest in and to the above-mentioned inventions, application for Letters Patent, and any and all Letters Patent or Patents in the United States of America and all foreign countries which may be granted therefor and thereon, and in and to any and all divisions, continuations, and continuations-in-part of said application, or reissues or extensions of said Letters Patent or Patents, and all rights under the International Convention for the Protection of Industrial Property, the same to be held and enjoyed by the said Assignee, for its own use and behoof and the use and behoof of its successors, legal representatives and assigns, to the full end of the term or terms for which Letters Patent or Patents may be granted, as fully and entirely as the same would have been held and enjoyed by the Assignor, had this sale and assignment not been made.

AND, for the same consideration, the said Assignor hereby covenants and agrees to and with the said Assignee, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, that, at the time of execution and delivery of these presents, the said Assignor is the lawful owner of the entire right, title and interest in and to the said inventions and the application for Letters Patent above-mentioned, and that the same are unencumbered and that the said Assignor has good and full right and lawful authority to sell and convey the same in the manner herein set forth.

AND, for the same consideration, the said Assignor hereby covenants and agrees to and with the said Assignee, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, that the said Assignor will, whenever counsel of the said Assignee, or the counsel of its successors, legal representatives and assigns, shall advise that any proceeding in connection with said inventions, or said application for

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AND, the said Assignor hereby requests the Commissioner of Patents to issue said Letters Patent of the United States to the said Assignee as the assignee of said inventions and the Letters Patent to be issued thereon for the sole use and behoof of the said Assignee, it successors, legal representatives and assigns.

Date: 5 March 1998 Wing H. Wong

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